

Interview Summary

Application No.

09/909,488

Applicant(s)

Lee et al.

Examiner

Ana Fortuna

Art Unit

1723

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Ana Fortuna(3) Scott T. Piering(2) Robert Lee(4) Aniel M. PaulyDate of Interview May 3, 2002

Type: a) Telephonic b) Video Conference

c) ☒ Personal [copy is given to 1) ☒ applicant 2) applicant's representative]Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No. If yes, brief description:Claim(s) discussed: all (1-40)

Identification of prior art discussed:

5,766, 479, to Collentro et al.Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments:


Reference '479 was discussed, claims limitation directed to a particular percentage of rejection and recovery were discussed. An amendment to overcome prior art was not proposed at this point, however, overlapping range of rejection of the NF membrane is disclosed in '479. The claims will be considered after amended in response to paper No.3. The membrane TFC-SR1 discussed in the specification and suggested for the the system was also discussed.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

i) ☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview (if box is checked).

Unless the paragraph above has been checked, THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN ONE MONTH FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached

ANA FORTUNA
PRIMARY EXAMINER



Examiner's signature, if required

Examiner Note: You must sign this form unless it is an Attachment to a signed Office action.